

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1 1. (Currently amended) A method for providing access to an information
2 stream comprising:
3 receiving information representative of a plurality of event markers, each event
4 marker being associated with a user-identified event and further associated with a plurality of
5 segments of the information stream that are determined by a user to be related to the user-
6 identified event, wherein a first event marker is associated with a first segment of the information
7 stream and a second segment of the information stream~~a plurality of time indices that are points~~
8 ~~in time in the information stream; and~~
9 for each event marker, ~~producing~~ displaying representative images of the
10 segments of the information stream that are associated with ~~respective time indices of said each~~
11 event marker in accordance with an arrangement format, ~~wherein when a first event marker is~~
12 ~~associated with a first time index and a second time index, then including for the first event~~
13 marker, displaying a first representative image of [[a]]the first segment of the information stream
14 ~~that includes the first time index is produced and~~ displaying a second representative image of
15 [[a]]the second segment of the information stream, ~~that includes the second time index is~~
16 ~~produced;~~
17 ~~forming groups of segments, each group comprising those segments of the~~
18 ~~information stream having a time index associated with the same event marker; and~~
19 ~~for each group of segments:~~
20 ~~printing on a printable medium a representative image for each segment~~
21 ~~comprising said each group; and~~
22 ~~printing on the printable medium a barcode image for said each segment,~~
23 ~~the barcode image being associated with the time index of said each segment,~~

24 ~~wherein representative images are arranged according to an arrangement format.~~

1 2. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the arrangement format is
2 determined automatically, absent user-provided arrangement information.

1 3. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein each of the event markers is
2 uniquely represented on a sheet, wherein the arrangement format is determined according to an
3 arrangement of the event markers on the sheet.

1 4. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein each event marker is
2 corresponds to information produced by a user action and ~~each is~~ associated with a time index
3 [[is]]of the time of occurrence of the user action.

1 5. (Currently amended) The method of claim 4 wherein the user action is
2 scanning of a barcode, wherein the event marker is representative of the barcode that is scanned,
3 wherein scanning the barcode more than once produces one or more time indices associated with
4 the barcode.

1 6. (Original) The method of claim 4 wherein the user action is speaking a
2 phrase, wherein the event marker is representative of a digital representation of the phrase,
3 wherein speaking the phrase more than once produces one or more time indices associated with
4 the digital representation of the phrase.

1 7. (Original) The method of claim 4 wherein the user action is a selecting a
2 visual element with an input device, wherein the event marker is representative of the visual
3 element, wherein selecting the visual element more than once produces one or more time indices
4 associated with the visual element.

1 8. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein each event marker
2 is further associated with a recording device, wherein the method is applied only to those event
3 markers that are associated with the same recording device.

1 9. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein a segment of the
2 information stream spans a period of time relative to its time index.

1 10. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 further comprising
2 recording the information stream, wherein the event markers and the time indices are recorded at
3 the time of recording of the information stream.

1 11. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein the information
2 stream is a previous recording, the method further comprising recording the event markers and
3 the time indices during playback of the information stream.

1 12. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein the information
2 stream comprises one of continuous information and discrete information.

13 and 14. (Canceled)

1 15. (Currently amended) A method for providing access to an information
2 stream comprising:

3 receiving information representative of a plurality of event markers, each event
4 marker being associated with a user-identified event and further associated with a plurality of
5 segments of the information stream that are determined by a user to be related to the user-
6 identified event, wherein a first event marker is associated with a first segment of the information
7 stream and a second segment of the information stream ~~a plurality of time indices that are points~~
8 ~~in time in the information stream; and~~

9 producing representative images of segments of the information stream
10 respectively associated with ~~[[the]]~~each event marker~~[[s]]~~;

11 ~~forming groups of segments, each group comprising those segments of the~~
12 ~~information stream associated with the same event marker;~~

13 receiving a source image comprising an image and annotative information for
14 each event marker; and

15 for each event marker:
16 printing on a printable medium the image and annotative information of
17 said each event marker;
18 printing on the printable medium the representative images; and
19 printing on the printable medium a barcode image corresponding to said each
20 segment, the barcode image ~~being associated with the~~indicative of a time index [[of]]associated
21 with said each segment.

16-34. (Canceled)

1 35. (Currently amended) A processor for providing access to an information
2 stream comprising a data processing component operable to perform method steps of:
3 receiving at least a first information stream;
4 receiving a plurality of event markers, ~~the event markers having timing~~
5 ~~information associated therewith;~~
6 associating the first information stream with a user-identified event and further
7 with a plurality of segments of the first information stream that are determined by a user to be
8 related to the user-identified event, wherein a first event marker is associated with a first segment
9 of the first information stream and a second segment of the first information stream~~the event~~
10 ~~markers, including identifying a plurality of points in time in the first information stream based~~
11 ~~on the timing information associated with the event markers and associating the plurality of~~
12 ~~points in time in the first information stream with the event markers; and~~
13 ~~for each event marker, grouping together the points in time in the first information~~
14 ~~stream that are associated with said each event marker to produce groups of media segments; and~~
15 printing on a printable medium the event markers and respective associated
16 ~~groups of media~~-segments, including for each event marker:
17 printing on the printable medium a representation of said each event
18 marker; and

19 for each ~~point in time in the group of media~~ segment[[s]] associated with
20 said each event marker, printing on the printable medium a representative image of a
21 portion of the first information stream associated with said each segment ~~point in time~~,
22 and printing a barcode image corresponding to a point in time in the portion of the first
23 information stream associated with said each segment ~~point in time~~.

1 36. (Previously presented) The processor of claim 35 wherein the event
2 markers further have device information associated therewith, the device information being
3 indicative of the device which produced the first information stream, wherein the step of
4 grouping is performed on those the event markers that are associated with the same device
5 information.

1 37. (Original) The processor of claim 35 wherein presenting the groups of
2 media segments comprises, for each group of media segments, producing an image
3 representative of each media segment and forming the image on a printable medium.

1 38. (Original) The processor of claim 35 wherein the event markers are
2 representative of scanned barcodes.

1 39. (Original) The processor of claim 35 wherein the event markers are
2 representative of selected graphics.

1 40. (Original) The processor of claim 35 wherein the event markers are
2 representative of spoken phrases.

41-56. (Canceled)

1 57. (New) The method of claim 1,
2 wherein displaying the first representative image includes printing the first
3 representative image on a printable medium,
4 wherein displaying the second representative image includes printing the second
5 representative image on the printable medium.

1 58. (New) The method of claim 57 wherein the first and second
2 representative images are arranged on the printable medium in accordance with an arrangement
3 format.

1 59. (New) The method of claim 1,
2 wherein displaying the first representative image includes printing the first
3 representative image and a first bar code image on a printable medium,
4 wherein displaying the second representative image includes printing the second
5 representative image and a second bar code image on the printable medium,
6 wherein the first and second bar code images are indicative of time indices
7 associated respectively with the first and second segments of the information stream.

1 60. (New) The method of claim 15 further comprising forming groups of
2 segments, each group comprising those segments of the information stream associated with the
3 same event marker.